House Resolution No. 4194

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the opportunity to acknowledge milestone events in the lives of Show-Me State residents who have proven down through the years to be exemplary citizens in local communities and neighborhoods; and

Whereas, Walter William Pollick, Jr., has attained considerable distinction as the Awards Representative of the Missouri-Saint Louis Chapter of Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge; and

Whereas, Walter William Pollick, Jr., enhanced his already impressive record of achievement when he was selected for a Spirit of 76 Award from Freedoms Foundation in light of his multiple years of service to the Missouri-Saint Louis Chapter and his significant contributions to charitable, civic, and religious organizations throughout the Saint Louis metropolitan area; and

Whereas, Walter William Pollick, Jr., will receive the Spirit of 76 Award during a luncheon on November 8, 2004, at The Gatesworth in Ladue; and

Whereas, a military veteran who served in the United States Air Force from 1959 to 1965, Walter William Pollick, Jr., developed and maintained an exceptional reputation during his later efforts with McDonnell Aircraft Company of Saint Louis; Laclede Steel Company of Saint Louis; Bendix Corporation of Cape Canaveral, Florida; the Saint Louis Board of Education; and United States Defense Contracts of Saint Louis prior to his retirement in 1972; and

Whereas, Walter William Pollick, Jr., prepared for his activities in life through business administration studies at Washington University in Saint Louis and Oxford University in Oxford, England; and

Whereas, holder of numerous awards and honors, Walter William Pollick, Jr., has admirably served the Saint Louis community and its environs through his participation in Operation Safestreet, Operation Brightside, The Church of Saint Michael and Saint George (Episcopal), American Legion Post 397, the Air Force Association's Scott Memorial Chapter, United Way, Meridian Lodge #2 A.F. & A.M., Moolah Shrine Air Patrol, Ainad Shrine Center-El Kazam Shrine Club, International Shrine Aviation Association, and Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the long, productive, and ongoing service of Walter William Pollick, Jr., with the Missouri-Saint Louis Chapter of Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge and to convey to him this legislative body's heartiest congratulations upon his receipt of a Spirit of 76 Award from that illustrious organization; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for presentation to Walter William Pollick, Jr.

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 4194, adopted September 30, 2004.